

## **International Women's Day**

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International Women's Day is an annual celebration observed on 8<sup>th</sup> March every year, dedicated to honouring the achievements of women and advocating for gender equality worldwide.

- This global event serves as a reminder of the progress made towards women's rights and the ongoing challenges that women still face in many aspects of life.
- The celebration's origin lies in the <u>labour movements</u> of Europe and North America. The first International Women's Day was held in March 1911.

The Vision

• It was celebrated for the first time by the **United Nations** in 1975.

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